

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims, if entered, will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the present Application.

1. **(Currently Amended)** A computer-implemented method ~~for presenting forecast information in a computer system~~ comprising:
receiving a forecast definition at ~~[[the]] a~~ computer system, wherein
the forecast definition comprises a forecast interval and a forecast period,
and
the forecast period comprises a plurality of forecast intervals, ~~and~~
~~each of the plurality of forecast intervals is defined by the forecast interval;~~
automatically generating a plurality of forecast snapshots, ~~comprising using a processor of the computer system, wherein~~
~~the automatically generating the plurality of forecast snapshots is performed using the forecast definition, and~~
~~the automatically generating the plurality of forecast snapshots comprises~~
for each forecast snapshot of the plurality of forecast snapshots,
automatically generating a forecast, wherein
~~the forecast is generated~~ for each forecast
interval of the plurality of forecast intervals,
~~[[and]] the automatically generating the forecast~~ is performed according to the forecast definition, and
automatically generating the each forecast snapshot of the plurality of forecast snapshots, wherein
the each forecast snapshot of the plurality of forecast snapshots comprises
the forecast, and

forecast summary information for the forecast
storing the forecast, wherein
the forecast is stored as a forecast snapshot of the plurality of forecast snapshots;
receiving a request at the computer system, wherein
the request is configured to cause forecast information for the forecast period to be generated and displayed;
in response to the receiving the request, generating the forecast information for the forecast period, in response to receiving a request at the computer system, wherein
the request is for displaying the forecast information for the forecast period,
the forecast information is generated using the plurality of forecast snapshots; and
in response to the receiving the request and the generating the forecast information for the forecast period, displaying, on a display coupled to the processor, the forecast information for the forecast period on a display coupled to the processor.

2. (Previously Presented) The computer-implemented method of claim 1 wherein the forecast information comprises a date for each forecast snapshot.
3. (Previously Presented) The computer-implemented method of claim 1 wherein the forecast information comprises a row for a participant that, when selected, provides more detailed information about the participant.
4. (Previously Presented) The computer-implemented method of claim 1 wherein the forecast information comprises closed revenue and forecast revenue.
5. (Previously Presented) The computer-implemented method of claim 4 wherein the forecast information comprises pipeline revenue.

6. (Previously Presented) The computer-implemented method of claim 4 wherein the forecast information comprises expected revenue.
7. (Previously Presented) The computer-implemented method of claim 1 wherein the forecast information comprises closed revenue and forecast revenue.
8. (Previously Presented) The computer-implemented method of claim 7 wherein the forecast information comprises pipeline revenue.
9. (Previously Presented) The computer-implemented method of claim 7 wherein the forecast information comprises name of the participant.
10. (Previously Presented) The computer-implemented method of claim 1 wherein the forecast information comprises information for each opportunity of a user.
11. (Previously Presented) The computer-implemented method of claim 10 wherein the forecast information for each opportunity includes opportunity identifier and forecast revenue.
12. (Previously Presented) The computer-implemented method of claim 1 wherein the forecast information comprises
 - a row of information for each forecast snapshot of the plurality of forecast snapshots,
 - a row of information for each participant within each forecast snapshot of the plurality of forecast snapshots, and
 - a row for each opportunity of a user.
13. (Previously Presented) The computer-implemented method of claim 1 wherein the forecast information comprises forecasted quantity of a product.
14. (Previously Presented) The computer-implemented method of claim 1 wherein the forecast information comprises closed quantity of a product.

15. (Previously Presented) The computer-implemented method of claim 1 wherein the forecast information comprises pipeline quantity of a product.

16. (Currently Amended) A computer system for presenting forecast information, comprising:

 a memory to store a forecast definition and a plurality of forecast snapshots, wherein
 the forecast definition comprises a forecast interval and a forecast period,
 and
 the forecast period comprises a plurality of forecast intervals, ~~and~~
 ~~each of the plurality of forecast intervals is defined by the forecast~~
 ~~interval;~~
 a processor coupled to said memory and configured to generate the plurality of forecast snapshots, ~~comprising wherein~~
 ~~the plurality of forecast snapshots is generated using the forecast~~
 ~~definition, and~~
 ~~generating the plurality of forecast snapshots comprises~~
 for each forecast snapshot of the plurality of forecast snapshots, automatically generating a forecast, wherein
 ~~the forecast is generated~~ for each forecast
 interval of the plurality of forecast intervals,
 ~~[[and]]~~ the automatically generating the
 forecast is performed according to the forecast definition, and
 automatically generating the each forecast snapshot of
 the plurality of forecast snapshots, wherein
 the each forecast snapshot of the plurality of
 forecast snapshots comprises
 the forecast, and
 forecast summary information for the
 forecast;

storing the forecast, wherein

the forecast is stored as a forecast snapshot of the

plurality of forecast snapshots;

said processor further configured to receive a request, wherein

the request is configured to cause forecast information for the forecast

period to be generated and displayed;

said processor further configured to generate the forecast information, in response to receiving a request, wherein

the request is for displaying the forecast information for the forecast
period

the forecast information is generated using the plurality of forecast
snapshots; and

said processor coupled to a display further configured to display the forecast information **for the forecast period, in response to receiving the**
request and generating the forecast information.

17. (Previously Presented) The computer system of claim 16 wherein the forecast information comprises a date for each forecast snapshot of the plurality of forecast snapshots.

18. (Previously Presented) The computer system of claim 16 wherein the forecast information comprises a row for a participant that, when selected, provides more detailed information about the participant, the more detailed information comprising opportunity information.

19. (Previously Presented) The computer system of claim 16 wherein the forecast information comprises forecast revenue.

20. (Previously Presented) The computer system of claim 16 wherein the forecast information comprises closed revenue.

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21. (Previously Presented) The computer system of claim 16 wherein the information comprises expected revenue.
22. (Canceled)
23. (Previously Presented) The computer system of claim 16 wherein information comprises forecast revenue.
24. (Previously Presented) The computer system of claim 16 wherein the information comprises pipeline revenue.
25. (Previously Presented) The computer system of claim 16 wherein the information comprises name of the participant.
26. (Previously Presented) The computer system of claim 16 wherein the forecast comprises information for each current opportunity of a user.
27. (Previously Presented) The computer system of claim 16 wherein the forecast comprises information for each opportunity of a user stored in a forecast snapshot of the plurality of forecast snapshots.
28. (Previously Presented) The computer system of claim 16 wherein the forecast information comprises
 - a row of information for each forecast snapshot of the plurality of forecast snapshots,
 - a row of information for each participant within each forecast snapshot of the plurality of forecast snapshots, and
 - a row for each opportunity of a user.
29. (Previously Presented) The computer system of claim 16 wherein the forecast information comprises forecasted quantity of a product.

30. (Previously Presented) The computer system of claim 16 wherein the forecast information comprises closed quantity of a product.

31. (Previously Presented) The computer system of claim 16 wherein the forecast information comprises pipeline quantity of a product.

32. (Currently Amended) A non-transitory computer-readable storage medium containing instructions for controlling a computer system to present forecast information, wherein said instructions, when executed by a processor in said computer system, cause said processor to perform a method comprising:

receiving a forecast definition at the computer system, wherein
the forecast definition comprises a forecast interval and a forecast period,
and
the forecast period comprises a plurality of forecast intervals, ~~and~~
~~each of the plurality of forecast intervals is defined by the forecast~~
~~interval;~~
automatically generating a plurality of forecast snapshots, ~~comprising using a~~
~~processor of the computer system, wherein~~
~~the automatically generating the plurality of forecast snapshots is~~
~~performed using the forecast definition, and~~
~~the automatically generating the plurality of forecast snapshots~~
~~comprises~~
for each forecast snapshot of the plurality of forecast snapshots,
automatically generating a forecast, wherein
~~the forecast is generated~~ for each forecast
interval of the plurality of forecast intervals,
[[and]] the automatically generating the
forecast is performed according to the
forecast definition, and
automatically generating the each forecast snapshot of
the plurality of forecast snapshots, wherein

the each forecast snapshot of the plurality of forecast snapshots comprises the forecast, and forecast summary information for the forecast;
~~storing the forecast, wherein the forecast is stored as a forecast snapshot of the plurality of forecast snapshots;~~
receiving a request at the computer system, wherein the request is configured to cause forecast information for the forecast period to be generated and displayed;
in response to the receiving the request, generating the forecast information for the forecast period, in response to receiving a request at the computer system, wherein the request is for displaying the forecast information for the forecast period,
the forecast information is generated using the plurality of forecast snapshots; and
in response to the receiving the request and the generating the forecast information for the forecast period, displaying, on a display coupled to the processor, the forecast information for the forecast period.

33. (Currently Amended) The non-transitory computer-readable storage medium of claim 32 wherein the forecast information comprises a date for each forecast snapshot of the plurality of forecast snapshots.

34. (Currently Amended) The non-transitory computer-readable storage medium of claim 32 wherein the forecast information comprises a row for a participant that, when selected, provides more detailed information about the participant.

35. (Currently Amended) The non-transitory computer-readable storage medium of claim 32 wherein the forecast information comprises a name of a participant.

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36. (Currently Amended) The non-transitory computer-readable storage medium of claim 32 wherein the forecast information comprises a row of information for each forecast snapshot of the plurality of forecast snapshots and a row of information for each participant within each forecast snapshot of the plurality of forecast snapshots.

37. (Currently Amended) The non-transitory computer-readable storage medium of claim 32 wherein the forecast information comprises forecasted quantity of a product.

38. (Canceled)